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Hello

I think that there is an urgent need to open the PC OS market to other solutions than Microsoft. A statu quo at this time will only strangle the market.

If you want to have an idea, go to your local PC store and ask for a PC without Microsoft's OS (an empty PC). You'll see...

One action which should be taken is to force Microsoft to have the acknowledgement of the court for all their OEM contracts in order for the court to prevent any monopolistic usage.

I am a BeOS user and I am sure that BeOS development has been put on hold by Microsoft influence or pressure and/or contracts. the result is the bankruptcy for a company which tried to be "innovative", something Microsoft pretended to protect...

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